Rama Varmha Tampuran.—(a) Yes; a petition dated 19th Karkadagam 1104 has been received by the Diwan.

(b) Government do not think that any public purpose is served by placing the petition on the Table.

(c) Yes.

(d) The Diwan has not done so.

Officers in the P. W. Department.

442. Mr. K. T. Mathew.—Will the Government be pleased to inform :—

(a) the number (1) of caste Hindus, (2) non-caste-Hindus, (3) Christians, (4) Jews and (5) Muslims drawing a monthly salary of Rs. 15 and above in the P. W. Department in the beginning of 1104;

(b) how many from each of the above groups there are now in the above Department drawing the salary referred to above;

(c) how many appointments were made in the above Department drawing a monthly salary of Rs.15 and above between 1104 and the end of Kumbham 1105; and of these appointments,

(d) how many have been given to those belonging to each of the above five classes of people ?

Mr. V. K. Aravindaksha Menon.—(a)

1.	Caste Hindus	99
2.	Non-caste Hindus	15
3.	Christians	36
4.	Jews	nil
5.	Muslims	1
(b) 1.	Caste Hindus	90
2.	Non-caste Hindus	10
3.	Christians	36
4.	Jews	Nil
5.	Muslims	1
(c)	Twenty-three.	
(d) 1.	Caste Hindus	16
2.	Non-caste Hindus	2
3.	Christians	4
4.	Jews	Nil
5.	Muslims	1

Anappara College Works.

443. Mr. Ouseph P. Kundukulam.—Will the Government be pleased to state:—

(a) whether the Government has already begun the Anappara College works;

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